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Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing to inquire as to the status of U.S. Patent Application Serial No.10/003,033, which application was filed on 1 November 2000. In particular, please advise as to whether and when the above-reference application has issued or will issue as a U.S. Patent.

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